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NEW FARMERS BANK.

The State Takes a Hand in the Settlement of the Vexed Question.

As to Who Shall Serve as Receiver for the Bank.

Proceedings have been instituted in the Montgomery Circuit Court by Secretary of State, Headly, for the vacating of the late order of the Court, appointing the Columbia Finance and Trust Company, of Louisville, Trustee for the New Farmers Bank.

This suit is brought under the new Corporation law, which gives the State supervision of the banks of the State, and is the first of its kind. The suit has the approval of the Attorney General, and its progress will be watched with interest.

Under the new act it is claimed the State has the right to institute proceedings when the Secretary of State shall become satisfied that the capital of the bank has been impaired, etc., for the appointment of a Receiver to take charge of the bank's affairs, and the Receiver must be a resident of the county in which the bank is situated. Acting upon the representations made to him by numerous stockholders, the Secretary of State brings this suit. It was to be heard by Judge Cooper (who is now engaged in the Bath Circuit Court) yesterday.

We sincerely hope those engaged in bringing the suit succeed in their purpose, and that rid the bank and the people of the county of the Trust Company that now has its grasp upon the bank's affairs. The Trust Company may be ever so honest in its conduct of affairs; we are not assailing the integrity of its management; but it has no interest in common with our people. Its mode of doing business, too, is better suited for a commercial than for an agricultural community, as ours is, and its management is, in our judgement, ill-suited to deal with the questions arising under the state of financial matters with which we are dealing.

The Receivership, as we see it, clearly should be placed in the hands of one is thoroughly acquainted with our people, their needs, resources, etc. It would be unwise to place the Receivership of a Louisville bank in the hands of a man whose business experience has been almost entirely confined to an agricultural section. Just so it is unfair to force upon us an institution with its peculiar methods of doing business.

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First Ward	120	75	2
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Third Ward	88	51	2
Fourth Ward	48	26	2
Democratic plurality	266	220	2
Total number registered	486	396	2

Rode in White Coaches.

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New Dry Good's Firm.

Mrs. Mary R. Samuels and Mr. John F. King have formed a partnership to purchase and conduct the dry goods business of the late John Samuels. Mrs. Samuels is the widow of John Samuels. John F. King is one of the most popular young business men ever raised in this community. For a number years, until a few months since, he has been teller in the Exchange Bank of Kentucky, of this city. He is not only personally popular, but is a man of fine business attainments and unquestioned integrity. We know no young man who has more firm friends than John King; nor do we know one who will bring to a business a better equipped mind than he will do. Mr. Bruce Duty, Mrs. Samuels' son-in-law, another popular and exceedingly bright and promising business man, will aid Mrs. Samuels in the conduct of the business. The new firm, the style of which is Samuels & King, began business Monday. Their prospects for success are certainly as bright as even they could desire. Mr. Duty leaves to-day for the market to lay in a choice stock, and will continue to sell with interest.

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ADAM BAUM, MAYOR OF MT. STERLING.

Last Chance to Visit the World's Fair.

The best month at the World's Fair is October. The last chance to go at a surprisingly low rate is on the Personally Conducted Westbound special train which will leave Clifton Forge following F. F. V. train No. 3, 6:05 a.m., Monday, October 16th, running through to Chicago, via Cincinnati and the Big Four railroad without change. The rates will surprise you. Call on nearest C. & O. Agent for particulars.

Round trip rate from Mt. Sterling \$10.25.

CORRESPONDENCE

Camargo.

William H. Wyatt was thrown from a horse Friday and was badly hurt, but is doing well at present.

Willie Jeffries, of Los Angeles, Cal., and Jimmie, his brother, from Eastern Kentucky, are now with us for a few days.

John Watson, of Kansas, was in our little town Sunday. It has been about 18 years since he left this State.

Old Fort church seems to be well pleased with her new preacher (Bro. Ross). He preached two able sermons Sunday. Regular days second and fourth Sundays.

W. F. Horton, accompanied by several other merchants, left Monday for Cincinnati to lay in their fall stock of goods. They will be gone until the last of the week.

Mrs. W. F. Horton is visiting her father, mother and friends at Campout, Ky. She will be gone a week or so.

John Lane bought the lot for \$300, at which place he is now living. We are glad to have him with us, for he is an excellent citizen. May his stay be long.

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An unconfirmed report is published in San Francisco that a syndicate of American capitalists has purchased Lower California from Mexico for nearly \$50,000,000, and will ask the United States to annex the Territory.

This same story in one form or another is continually bobbing up.

The October Number of the Illustrated Kentuckian

Contains portraits of Mrs. Cynthia Smith Burnam, of Richmond; Miss Hale Ermlie Rives, Hopkinsville; Miss May Nelson Nall, Louisville; Miss Nelle Orbison, Frankfort; Miss Lillie Norris, Cynthiana. Also the John Marshall Chapter of Daughters of American Revolution, at Louisville—Mrs. Pope, Mrs. Buckner, Mrs. MacGregor, Mrs. Eches and Mrs. Reynolds. Also of George Dunlap Pettis, Mrs. Florence Griffith Miller, Rev. Roger H. Peters, W. S. Bell, Lena Phillips, Nicholasville; Jessie Williams Frasier, Cynthia. Fashion, new advertisements, stories, sketches, World's Fair, Miss Hibber's new story, society, etc., etc., etc.

A High Compliment.

No higher compliment could be paid Mr. Bright than the unusual unanimity with which he carried his section of the county. His home precinct, Marshall's, only reported three votes for his opponent, one of which he cast himself, and the adjoining precinct of Doak's, one end of which is ten or twelve miles from his home, gives him 80 votes to 18 for Botts.

Even the best of men are liable to have enemies, and when we see a man's neighbors rallying to his support in such unbroken column we need further guarantee of his integrity and ability. Mr. Bright, we congratulate you and extend to you the assurance that we believe your neighbors will have no cause to regret the high compliment they have paid you.—Shelby Sentinel.

Mr. Bright is a brother of Dr. E. C. Bright of this city.

[Advertisement]

Fraud! Bribery! Money!

Whisky and all the corrupting influences that a foater's flesh is heir to. John E. Groves contests the result of the late primary election, and asks the County Committee to call a meeting on Saturday, October 14, to investigate. All that I ask is to have twenty-five per cent. the bribed suffrage disregarded.

J. E. GROVES.

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From the West, an increased demand for hogs, cattle, whisky and lumber.

From the East, reports are less favorable, although there is a decided improvement in the financial situation.

Exports of products continue fairly large.

Governor Rich, of Michigan, has honored the requisition from the Governor of Minnesota and issued a warrant for the return of Stonewall J. D. France, the insurance agent who has been under arrest in Detroit for the past week. Arthur C. Anderson, cashier of the St. Paul National bank charges that on April 11, 1892, D. France, alias Cameron Elliott, appeared at the bank and presented a draft for \$35,000. This purported to be drawn by the bank of Commerce of Indianapolis, payable to the order of Cameron Elliott. It was drawn on the United States National bank of New York. The draft was accepted, credited to Cameron Elliott, and before the maker had a chance to protest Elliott had drawn \$1000 and disappeared.

COUCILMEN.

FIRST WARD:

C. H. Bryan, J. Will Clay,

SECOND WARD:

Henry Watson, John M. Isola,

THIRD WARD:

J. W. Burroughs, Matt S. Kelly,

FOURTH WARD:

Joe M. Conroy, Charles G. Glover.

REED BUILDING,

MT. STERLING, KY.

YESTERDAY'S PRIMARY.

THE DEMOCRATS OF THE CITY

Select Their Nominees for the Municipal Offices.

Yesterday's election passed off in a quiet and orderly way. Much interest was taken, but there was no indication of disturbance. The workings of the new election law is better liked, the more it is tried. Below we give the vote by wards.

FIRST WARD:

FOR MAYOR:

A. Baum.....100

S. King Ford.....102

FOR CITY JUDGE:

Ben R. Turner.....123

James G. Lane.....63

FOR CITY ATTORNEY:

H. Clay McRae.....16

J. M. Elliott.....63

John B. Phillips.....63

FOR CHIEF OF POLICE:

John Gibbons.....10

Charles T. Wilson.....114

FOR COUNCILMAN:

C. H. Bryan.....98

J. Will Clay.....87

Henry Watson.....60

John M. Isola.....64

J. W. Burroughs.....50

Matt S. Kelly.....18

FOR MUNICIPAL JUDGE:

Ben R. Turner.....58

James G. Lane.....58

Turner's majority 18.

FOR ATTORNEY:

H. Clay McRae.....41

J. M. Elliott.....47

John B. Phillips.....21

FOR CHIEF OF POLICE:

John Gibbons.....24

Charles T. Wilson.....20

FOR COUNCILMAN:

C. H. Bryan.....38

S. King Ford.....31

Baum's majority 17.

FOR CITY JUDGE:

Ben R. Turner.....301

James G. Lane.....190

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FOR ATTORNEY:

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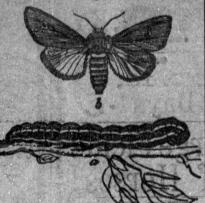
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CABBAGE WORMS.

Pyraustina is the remedy for these troublesome pests.

In the following illustration are shown the cabbage worm and cabbage butterfly. The former, which is about an inch long and is green with yellow and black markings, is also called the



CORN SHOCKER.

The shock. A well studied plan is general and the one here illustrated is indeed for a satisfactory by a Minnesota farmer, who thus describes it in the following Gertrude:

Do not have a standing hill of corn for the center of the shock, as it is frequently done, but make use of a "shocker," shown in Fig. 1.

Let the shock about 12 feet long, with two hills about 6 feet in length. Then the shock is an old wooden handle fitting into a hole bored through the pole, leaving this an even number of rows to be taken—I usually take six. Take the center out of the rows above until I have passed three hills of corn in my right hand, I pass the shock to my left hand, and so on until I have passed three hills of corn and stand at A, Fig. 2.

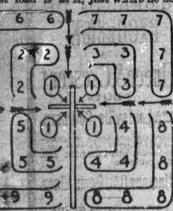
I begin work (after running the stick into place) by cutting the four hills at 1, 1, 1, 1, and placing each as it cuts in the angle of the shocker. One can reach and cut three hills without taking extra steps.

The nine digits are used in the cut to represent the 36 hills of corn that are to be taken, the shock is in each case in the order in which the hills are to be taken.

The inclosures around the figures indicate the work of each trip. The open end of the inclosures shows where the work begins, and the arrows show where the ears of corn are to be taken.

When the shock is finished, examine him in the same way as one of the inclosures, cutting the four quarters of the same size; there will be no tendency for the shock to lean in any direction.

By this plan the operator as he departs last load in at A, just where he be-



man, and at first the right place for tying the shock, removing the stick and carrying the shock forward to the next place for work. When once drops into any and a regular plan of movement in such work is made, no hesitating thought required, no hesitating of action, saving of much time is the obvious result.

The Orange or Grapefruit.

The orange is a favorite in the northern markets, where it is known as grape fruit. It brings much higher prices than the orange and therefore confined mostly to the use of a fairly wealthy class of patrons, who affect it as a special indulgence, though its consumption is not confined to this meal. In a special bulletin issued from the Louisiana state experiment station the following varieties of the well-known fruit are noted and do-

Amaranthus pomosum is a choice seedling originating in Orange county from an orange procured from the noted Dunn orange grove on the Indian river. It is as much an orange as the grape fruit, a much larger fruit, and has a delicious and valuable acquisition to the citrus family.

The fruit is smaller, skin thin, less core; in quality sweet and fine, with enough of the bitter principle to give it what is called the grape fruit.

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The application of nitrogen, potash or phosphoric acid alone resulted in no increased yield.

The application of two of the elements in combination gave some increase in yield, but phosphoric acid was in the combination present.

Potash added yield somewhat, provided phosphoric acid was present.

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The Grape Fruits.—A decided improvement of the common grape fruit.

Permanuco—A fine grained late sort;

imported through effort of the department of agriculture more bitter than the Royal or Auranium.

Canton—Very large; round; red flesh.

Sweet Potatoes.

Perhaps there is no state in the south with a sweet potato crop so fine as Texas. The potato is raised over the south as well as the north, the climate and soil seem especially adapted to it in Texas.

There are many who make a specialty of the sweet potato, since they make a good season on good land 200 bushels acre.

How many have raised nearly twice the amount to the acre, writes a correspondent of The Prairie Farmer. The steady setting out of the crop that makes a good market for it, according to conservative estimates the coming crop will be fully 5,000,000 bushels, of which 4,000,000 will be marketed. The average price received by growers the past season was \$1.50 per bushel.

Buffalo clover, native of the south, is not considered of much value by the Southern Cultivator.

It is reported that the Texas cotton crop is in the most critical condition for

the season, and the one here illustrated shows the cabbage worm and cabbage butterfly. The former, which is about an inch long and is green with yellow and black markings, is also called the



CABBAGE WORM AND CABBAGE WORM.

There are two broods of worms and these feed on the cabbage heads. The worms are the larvae of the moth.

The eggs for the first or spring brood are laid during May or June, and the young are usually found congregated together until they acquire considerable size, when they spread out over the plants. The second brood appears to be so exclusively injurious to the cruciferous plants of the garden. The moth is of a rich purple brown, except hind wings, which are white.

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Harvesting Tobacco.

There are two methods of harvesting tobacco—cutting down the whole plant and gathering the leaves separately. The latter is the more popular, and is used for a long time by tobacco planters. The latter, which is of recent origin, is regarded by many as the most scientific method.

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After the plant is pulled and the leaves plucked in, it is good practice to handle without breaking it should be placed on the stick.

Some growers hold the opinion that the plants ought to be harvested when white at all times, and that the time is 45 feet high, or eight large plants of unusual number. These sticks are placed on a frame in the field and loaded on a wagon for taking to the tobacco barn.—Alabama State Bulletin.

THE BEST BLOOD PURIFIER AND TONIC FOR OLD AND YOUNG TO QUICHEEN THE APPETITE, REMOVE THAT TIRED FEELING

J. O. MILLER
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INSURANCE.
AND
REAL ESTATE.
Lowest Rates, Choicest
Companies,
Prompt Settlements
OF ANY AND ALL AGENCIES.
And Make the Weak Strong.

It enriches the blood and invigorates every organ and tissue of the body.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

Cures others, will cure you

Alas! For the Editor:

The political editor of the Ellijay Courier writes:

"Fifty winters, all in areas.

Some one, some two, and some three years.

One poor editor, all in tears,

Dodge the Shovel with hopes and fears;

Fifty winters, all in tears,

One poor editor out at the knees."

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TUESDAY, OCT. 10, 1893.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

OUR STATE SENATOR,
J. H. HOLLOWAY,
OF CLARK.FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
W. C. TAYLOR,
OF MEEKEE.FOR SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT,
I. N. MORTON.

A Republican newspaper is soon to be started in Winchester. A company has been organized for that purpose, and one of its members is now in Chicago buying an outfit.—*Winchester Sun.*

Secretary Carlisle has sent to the Senate a new estimate placing the probable total cost of deportation of Chinese laborers under the Geary act at \$7,360,000, of which sum \$660,000 would be required for the current fiscal year.

The Democratic majority is so pronounced in Mt. Sterling that republican opposition to the November election for municipal officers will hardly be probable. However, if any of the several republican gentlemen who are said to be anxious to make the race due to try issues, the field is open and they can make their wishes known as soon as they please.

The Republicans of Fleming county have nominated Rev. Thos. Wood, brother of Col. A. T. Wood, of this city, for Representative against Hon. Rolla Hart. The Rev. Wood will not have the pleasure of occupying the seat. There are too many good Democrats in Fleming county to allow so good a man as Rolla Hart to suffer defeat.

Several days ago the Treasury Department mailed interest checks aggregating in value about \$5,000,000 to pay interest on the public debt due October 1. The effect of their payment is already being felt in the reduction of the gold reserve, which stands at \$89,926,693, as compared with a reserve of \$93,582,172 on the 2d inst. The reserve has nearly reached the lowest point in its history, which occurred about the middle of last June.

Senator Blackburn Friday offered his compromise amendment to the Silver-purchase Repeal Bill. It strikes out the Voorhees amendment and authorizes the free coining of silver from United States mines, except as to seigniorage, which is equal to the difference between the market price of silver and "its minted value after coinage," and which is to be sold for gold, the receipts from this source to be used "for the purpose of maintaining a parity between the two metals."

News from Washington says the President has determined to give C. R. Brooks, of this place, the Oklahoma Attorneyship. There is a protest from the Territory about appointing a man outside of its limits to the position, but from what can be learned, the President will hardly change his mind about the matter. We had hoped and expected before this to hear of Mr. Brooks' confirmation by the Senate. The President could hardly make a more fitting appointment than that of C. R. Brooks to this or a like position.

Why No Silver Was Purchased.

Secretary Carlisle sent to the house his reply to the resolution of that body asking why 4,500,000 ounces of silver bullion was not purchased during July and August, as required by law. The reply says that, as the United States is the largest purchaser of silver in the world, the secretary of the treasury, after examination of the offers and quotations each day, should determine what, in his judgment, is a fair market price. He either has to purchase 4,500,000 ounces at the dealers' prices, no matter how unreasonable or exorbitant they may be, or he must employ such means as his command to ascertain the actual market price. The effort of the department since June 12 has been to simply to ascertain the fair market price of bullion on each day it was offered for sale, and, when ascertained, to make purchases at that price.

ANOTHER LIE

In the Long List of Falsehoods
That Have Been Circulated in
the Breckinridge-Pollard
Scandal.

The Cincinnati Commercial Gazette has the following special from Paris: "The public has been wondering what became of the baby Miss Pollard born in to Cincinnati, and which she claims in her petition is the son of Colonel Breckinridge.

"The Commercial Gazette reporter has located it.

"It was adopted by Judge Van B. Young, who died a few years since while Judge of the Superior Court of Kentucky, and is now being reared by his widow. Mrs. Judge Young now resides in Bath county, and the child is to be an important witness when the great case comes to trial. The boy is said to be Stoddard Young, is in his ninth year, and said to bear a striking resemblance to the present Ashland Representative. Since the guardian has been put under a ruling of the court to produce the youngster in Washington when ordered, and it being apparent that he is to play a prominent part in the proceedings before the jury, he is never allowed to be out of the sight of an attendant.

"This is the way Judge Van B. Young got control of the wif.

"In the fall of 1884 a carriage coming from the direction of Lexington, rolled along the pike as it round-horsed towards Owingsville. The toll-gate keeper heard the carriage-top, but being rather slow about getting out, he found on opening the door that the carriage had turned and was driving back toward Lexington. The keeper started back into the house he discovered a basket sitting in his porch. Mechanically picking up he carried it into his room and found it contained a chubby babe. While wondering what to do with it and what the parents of it should have left it with a poor man who could not properly care for it, Judge Young drove up and asked the gate-keeper what he was doing up so late. Why he Judge did not pass on without stopping, for the gate was up and he was allowed free toll, is a mystery.

"He was told about the baby being left there, and asked what was best to be done about it. "Why, give it to me," said the Judge, "I have no children, and can afford to educate it." Glad to be so soon relieved of his charge, the gate-keeper gladly handed the basket to the Judge. The Judge winked at himself in a mirror hanging on his left as he passed out and took his departure. The Judge was not a night rider ordinarily, was not campaigning at that time, and came from the direction of Lexington, a short distance behind the track. Was the Judge given a tip?

"Mrs. Judge Young was a granddaughter of Governor Robinson and a sister of George Bell, the prominent merchant of this city, and Ben Bell, the leading druggist of Lexington. It can not now be stated what Mrs. Young knows about the history of the child before it was left at the lonely toll-gate, but Judge Young often remarked to his brothers-in-law that Stoddard has some of the best blood of the State in his veins, and his father is a congressman." When asked if he knew the fact the name of the boy's parents, he would reply: "I am not enough to know that he comes of illustrious family?"

"Another incident in connection with the affair is, Miss Pollard was visiting in Bourbon, near the Bath county line, at the time the papers were telling of the desertion of the wif, and the providential 'passing' of Judge Young, who gave it a home. It is now recalled what intense interest Miss Pollard took in the fate of the child, and would often express a desire to go and see it. There is no doubt but that Stoddard Young is the son of Miss Pollard—as to it being Breckinridge's, that is quite another matter. Judge Young and Colonel Breckinridge were good friends."

The Commercial Gazette's correspondent has either a vivid imagination or he has given some one full liberty to impose upon him. There is little truth in his story. Whilst Judge and Mrs. Young never positively knew who the father and mother of the babe they adopted were, they did know that the child was born at St. Louis, and the parents of the child, Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter, in Bath county, on the 18th day of January, 1884, and that the father and mother in no way missed either Col. Breckinridge or Miss Pollard. They had a full description of the couple from old man

Nervous Prostration



Mrs. Emma Hause.

Years of Suffering Ended

"I never dreamt in my life that my wife had a bad attack, and all red and white and blue and all sorts of remedies. I read of Hood's Saraparilla and sent for a bottle of the medicine. After using it three days my nerves became quieted and I

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regards an application in a short time I was attending to my household duties. I am now in better health than for years." Mrs. Emma Hause, Beaufort, N. C.

Get HOOD'S
Hood's Pill's act easily, yet promptly and effectively, on the liver and bowels. Etc.

Carpenter: Judge Young did not drive up to the toll gate and get the child where it was left on the 14th of March, 1884, but Mrs. Young herself went out from Owingsville (when there was no road) after having heard of the desertion of the babe, and took it home. This was on March 15, 1884. The guardian of the child has not been put under a ruling to produce a youngerster in Washington. Mrs. Young lives in Mt. Sterling, not in Bath county. In short, there is scarcely a particle of truth in the story; Mrs. Young authorizes us to deny the story, and for her make the statement beyond the fact that a child was left at the toll gate and at once adopted by Judge Young and herself, it has no foundation in fact.

Honored.
Governor Brown appointed last Friday forty delegates to the International or World's Real Estate Congress to commence in Chicago October 23. The certificates showing him to be delegates and constituting members of the association will be issued to them by the Secretary of the World's Congress Auxiliary of the World's Fair as soon as they can reach Chicago.

F. J. Bigstaff, of this city, is one of the number appointed. This is a deserved compliment to a most competent and worthy representative of the young Democracy of our country.

A fearful storm swept over the Gulf coast from Louisiana to Florida, on Sunday and Monday of last week. Each report from the stricken districts has but added to the horror. The loss of life, so far as known, reaches over 2,000 souls. Between 600 and 700 vessels are reported wrecked, and the property loss to houses, crops, railroads, etc., is estimated at about \$5,000,000.

The Democratic Committee of Bath county has decided Alex. Conner the nominee of the Democracy of Bath for County Attorney, to be voted for at the next November election. All Democrats should give Mr. Conner their support.—Bath County Word.

And no man is a good Democrat who fails to vote for Mr. Conner.

At the Senatorial convention at Jackson to select a Democratic nominee, there was anything but harmony. The convention split and each held their meeting. One declared Hon. John P. Salyer its nominee, and the other Mr. Hogg. The matter has been referred to the Central Committee for adjustment.

Many petitions from brewers have been sent to the House Ways and Means Committee asking a reduction of the tariff on hops from 15 to 5 cents a pound. A number of the Kentucky Congressmen are for the reduction and Chairman Wilson, of the House and Means Committee, is also said to be favorably inclined.

The New York Chamber of Commerce Thursday adopted resolutions condemning the Senate for delaying the repeal of the Sherman law and thanking the House and President Cleveland for their prompt action in the matter.

Hon. S. A. Robinson, who was Chief of the United States Secret Service Department during the war, died at Denison, Texas, Thursday.

The Rev. Dr. William Lawrence was Thursday consecrated Episcopal Bishop of Massachusetts to succeed the late Bishop Phillips Brooks.

James R. Randal, of Georgia, author of "Maryland, My Maryland," has been appointed to a position under the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate.

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Mt. Sterling.

The claim of the city of Louisville and Logan and Simpson counties against the United States Government for rebate of internal revenue taxes collected on their bonds from the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company has at last been adjusted and a warrant for the amount due the city of Louisville and the above named counties will be forwarded to the proper authorities at once. The bill directing the Secretary of the Treasury to refund these taxes was introduced in the last Congress by Representative Garritt. It became a law on the 23d of last February. Hon. Albert Willis was the attorney for the city and counties. Louisville will receive \$31,359.02; Logan county, \$15,397.70, and Simpson county, \$1,296,02, and Willis will get a good fat fee.

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As Agents of J. C. B. Gillispie, I will sell on

Wednesday, October 11, 1893, at the Jerry North place about two miles East of Plum Lick, the following property:

1 buggy and seat of harness, lap robes, rain aprons, etc.

1 organ.

1 rattle.

1 round harrow.

1 riddle mower.

1 corn sheller.

1 cutting box.

1 cross-cut saw.

About 10 acres of corn in field and place to feed.

Also about 10 acres of corn in the shock, and 10 acres of oats in the place to feed it.

I will sell at the same time and place, rent, 70 acres of grass.

All sum of \$40 and under, cash in hand.

Amounts over \$40 will be paid January 1st, 1894, with appropriate security.

Sale to begin at 10 a. m.

G. GILLISPIE JR. Assignee.

W. H. FLETCHER, Auctioneer.

10-12

STOCK AND CROP.

1 herd of 5-year-old steers—some good ones.

5 hens.

1 Jersey cow, fresh in milk.

1 cow and calf.

1 two-year-old mule.

2 yearling mules.

15 head of nice sheep.

5 stacks of fine hay.

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Dumb cart and harness, double-shaft plow, dray, running gear, buggy, grain-cutter, drag-harrow, combined mower, digger, two log chains, post rider and weeder scythe.

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rent the farm of 155 acres, from date of sale to

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Farms made known on day of sale. Sale to begin at 10 a. m. sharp.

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MT. STERLING, KY.

Elder B. W. Trimble will preach at Corinth Christian church next Sunday morning.

Mt. Sterling registered 764 votes; Miss S. B. Richmond 836; and Winston 1028.

Miss George C. Barnes, daughter of Miss George O. Barnes, was married on last Thursday to Mr. Edward N. Duncan, of Lexington.

Mrs. Mattie Embry, wife of Mr. Mattie Embry, of Louisville, died last Saturday. Her remains were taken to Richmond for burial.

Mr. Lewis Straus, Chairman of the Board of Aldermen of the city of Lexington, tendered his resignation on account of mismanagement of the city's affairs.

Mr. John Clement, of Clement & Clement, Danville, Va., shipped a car load of cows and calves from this station yesterday, for which he paid from 2 to 2½ cents.

MR. STERLING ADVOCATE:

Please make notice in your first issue that I decline to make the race for City Judge, any other office.

Oct. 3, 1893. B. F. DUNN.

Z. T. Young, Jr., and Miss Lizzie Greenwood, both of this city, were married at the Grand Hotel, Cincinnati, last Tuesday. Mr. Young is a young practitioner at law, and is located at Morehead.

At North Middlestown Christian Church, last Wednesday, Mr. Lewis Hagan, of Winchester, and Miss Lida Reynolds, of North Middlestown, and Mr. Will Hagan, of Winchester, and Miss Etta Bean, of North Middlestown, were married.

Miss A. Kate Strode, daughter of W. D. Strode, a prominent Clark county farmer, will be married on Wednesday evening, the 25th inst., at 7:30 o'clock, in the Winchester Baptist church, to Mr. Vernon L. Clark, of Frankfort, and will be at their home in Frankfort after November 1.

On last Friday, at Morehead, M. F. French had his examining trial before County Judge, for the murder of George Johnson on Monday, the 2nd inst., and was refused bail. He was represented by Maj. A. T. Wood and Z. T. Young, of this city. The cause in question was represented by James Clark and William Young of Morehead, and Judge B. F. Day of this city.

A jolly good lot of boys were hunting and fishing at Oil Springs last week and they had a fine lot of Kentucky fox hunts. During the first long race three of the best dogs were lost, and when the hunt was all round up home, the dogs were all O. K. and their right places; thus they come in about Saturday all torn up showing they had been in a hard race.

"Ours or the Boys."

John T. Dorris, the popular drummer, met with an accident near Pigg's Store, in Clark county, Tuesday, that will confine him to his bed for several days. Mr. Dorris left West Bend, Powell county, when it was raining hard, and when near Pigg's Store some part of the harness broke; this caused the horse, and the buggy was overturned. Dorris was dragged some distance and badly scratched up, but luckily no bones were broken. He was brought to this city Wednesday morning and is now at the residence of J. A. Ores, on Harrison avenue.

John T. Steagall, aged 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Steagall, of Shelby county, died at the home of his parents, on Tuesday, of an acute attack of Bright's disease. The deceased was well known here, where he had lived till within a year. He was a grandson of Mr. Johnson A. Young, of this county, and was a bright and popular boy. He had developed a rather unusual aptitude for business and this threw him with older persons than himself. His genial disposition won him many friends among the business men with whom he came in contact. His former pastor, Elder H. D. Clark, of the Christian Church, of this city, was called to preach his funeral on Wednesday.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Sallie Latham visited friends here last week.

Miss America Tucker has gone to the World's Fair.

Albert Bourne has returned from a visit to Nicholas county.

J. L. Hainline, wife and children have moved to Cincinnati.

Mrs. Nettie Vanpelt is visiting Mrs. J. T. Young, in Sharpsburg.

Clay Cooper was at home from Lexington, Saturday and Sunday.

John G. Wim, wife and wife have returned from the World's Fair.

Robert Colyer, of Millersburg, visited friends in the city Sunday.

Miss Julia Stone and Clay Thomas have gone to the World's Fair.

Miss Frankie Chestnut spent Sunday and Monday in Lexington.

Samuel Gallagher, of Sharpsburg, was in the city Saturday on business.

M. S. Tyler was in Owingsville Monday attending Bath Circuit court.

Mr. John J. Dickey, editor of the Jackson Hustler, was in the city last week.

Miss Annie Mary Keeney, of Paris, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Haven.

Mrs. Milton Hager and children, of Salterville, are visiting at Mr. G. F. Greene's.

Miss Willie K. Leach will visit friends in Lexington and Georgetown this week.

Mrs. W. McClelland and daughter, Miss Mattie, leave for the World's Fair to-day.

Mrs. Virginia Cheneau is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joyce Thompson, in Clark county.

Steve Adamson, who has been pricing tobacco here, has returned to his home in Sharpsburg.

Rev. H. H. Sned, of Middleborough, was in the city last week visiting friends.

Col. J. L. Hurt, Z. T. Young and Allie Young attended the Bath Circuit Court the past week.

Miss Annie McKinovan, of Owingsville, who has been visiting Miss Nannie Burbridge, has returned home.

Mrs. Cushman, of Flemingsburg, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. F. Tabb, has returned home.

Mr. Edgar Bourne, cashier of the Taylorville Bank, is in the city and county visiting friends and relatives.

Misses Crit Lane and Mary Gatewood, R. M. Trimble, wife and son, have returned from the World's Fair.

H. W. Trimble and wife and Miss Mary Cassidy are at home from a trip to Chicago and the Columbian Exposition.

Mrs. Alex. McClintock, of Fayette county, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. Haydon, has returned home.

L. M. Tipton and wife, Mrs. Sallie Thompson, Misses Lena and Mamie Tipton and Esther Wilson, are at the World's Fair.

S. C. Stofer, who has been very sick at Mrs. Sheldene Cunningham's in Clark county, is, we are glad to say, very much improved.

Charles D. Grubbs and wife, Misses Katie and Virginia Grubbs, Mary Apperson and Nellie Winn returned from the World's Fair on Friday.

Mrs. William Knox and daughter, Miss Fannie, of Carlisle, who have been visiting Capt. T. J. Henry, at West Liberty, spent a few days at J. T. Hazelrigg's last week, on their way home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Runyon, Miss Bettie Price, Miss Bertie Price, Mr. James Price, of Fleming county, and Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Price, of Ewing, Ky., attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary R. Carter.

Rev. A. J. Arrick and wife are in Mayfield this week. Mr. Arrick is attending the Ebenezer Presbyterian, which met there Monday, and the Synod of the Presbyterian Church of Kentucky, U. S. A., which meets today. Mrs. Arrick is a delegate to the Ladies' Synodical meeting, of Home

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Pure Drugs, Medicines, &c.
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Missions. They will be absent the entire week.

Mr. J. S. Rogers is in Chicago at the World's Fair.

Rev. William Jayne, of Farmers, was in the city Monday.

Mrs. H. E. French and daughter, Miss Juliet, are attending the World's Fair.

Rev. Green Clay Smith, of the Metropolitan Baptist Church, Washington, D. C., is in the city visiting his many friends.

Mrs. R. E. Moorman and little daughter, who have been visiting Mr. George E. Chick, leave for their home in Cloverport to-day.

Misses Bette Jones, Julia Mason Mag. White of Madison are visiting their aunt Mrs. Carrie King at Mrs. Annie Beau's near this city.

Mr. M. R. Hainline, of Richmond, has done fine trading on the new residence of Mr. Lewis Schlegel.

Mr. W. C. Taylor, of Marbury, Menifee county, Democratic nominee for Representative from this district, was in the city yesterday. He has no fear of Republican opposition, in fact would rather enjoy a little brush with our friends, the enemy.

M. F. Garrison and wife witnessed the Lacy-Craven wedding at Rodman, Rowan county, on last Thursday evening. From there they visited friends in Enterprise, and Mrs. Garrison went to Olive Hill to visit friends. She returned home Monday.

Mrs. A. T. Thompson and daughter, Miss Lavinia, of Mt. Sterling, were here Saturday. Mrs. Theo. Anderson and Mrs. Wm. Anderson, of Montgomery county, were guests of Mrs. James Stone Monday.

J. T. Boardman, of Mt. Sterling, was here Monday looking out a location.

He is a first-class carpenter, and should he secure a building contract, will remove his home here without delay.—Owingsville Outlook.

Quite a party leaves for the great "World's Fair" at Chicago to-day, of the number, we have been able to obtain the following names: Misses John King, A. B. Ratiff, J. C. Hamilton, Roll Ratiff, Earnest Myneur, A. A. Hazelrigg, Piero Wim, W. H. Reid, Roger Gatewood, Leland Gentry, Jack Graves, T. G. Denton, Robert Barnes, Lawrence White, Alfie Young, Ed Mitchell, C. K. Chenuant, Hogen Huges, Lawrence White, Ewing, Roland Ratiff, J. C. Reid, D. C. Fox, Thos. Thomas, William Ratiff, W. R. Thompson, C. T. Hazelrig and Geo. Baird.

The ladies of the Episcopal Church are busy making preparations for a grand entertainment to be held early in November. One of the chief features of such entertainment will be the floral display made by the Mt. Sterling Flower Company, consisting of some fifty varieties of chrysanthemums of the newest named sorts, both in pots and cut flowers, as well as some enormous blooms which are furnished for exhibition by one of the finest chrysanthemum growers in the States. The ladies will have a flower stall, at which plants, cut roses, carnations and chrysanthemums will be sold.

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Religious.

Elder J. S. Sweeney was elected Sunday to serve as pastor of the Christian Church for the coming year. This will be the twenty-fourth consecutive year of Elder Sweeney's pastoral charge of the church. This fact alone speaks volumes for the high esteem in which Elder Sweeney is held and shows how the congregation appreciates his work.—Bourbon News.

Elder Wallace Tharp, of Carlisle, has been called to take charge of the Christian church at Augusta, Ga.

The church was built by the late Mrs. Emily Tubman, sister of the late Daniel Thomas, of Frankfort, at a cost of \$110,000; has an elegant parsonage and the endowment fund furnished a salary of \$2,400 for the preacher.

R. A. Thompson preached at the Baptist Church last Sunday morning to a good congregation.

Rev. B. B. Bailey, of Shelby county has been called as pastor of the Mt. Sterling Baptist Church.

James W. B. Scobee, aged 63, one of Montgomery's best citizens, died on Wednesday, October 4, 1893, at his home two miles West of Mt. Sterling. Mr. Scobee was an extensive farmer, a man of integrity, uprightness and honor, a good neighbor and true friend. He was married in 1858 to Elizabeth McIntyre, and eleven children blessed their union—three boys and eight girls. For all the large family they had, their home was never too crowded to afford shelter and loving care to more than one little waif that stood in need of such a home as theirs. The Master took the little ones in his arms and blessed them and said, "such is the Kingdom of Heaven." It is likely he will let those who loved their, who echoed His words, "Suffer little ones to come?"

Four children are married; two sons, William N. of this county and R. L. of Colorado, and two daughters, Mrs. Ida Thompson, of Clark, and Mrs. Jane Benten, of Arkansas. The others with the devoted wife, live at home.

His remains were buried in the cemetery at Winchester on Friday.

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Mr. Mike McCarty, formerly with the Mt. Sterling Gas Company, now with the Mt. Sterling Gas and Electric Company, and will answer all calls for plumbing work of all kinds.

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INSURE YOUR

TOBACCO

With A. HOFFMAN. Best Companies and low Rates

Big Fire at Lexington.

Losses by smoke and water on over \$80,000 worth of Huts, Furnishings, Clothing and fine piece goods, by the J. N. Wilson Company, Lexington, Ky., has been adjusted and everything will be ready in a few days for the greatest fire sale ever known.

Such fires are much to be deplored, as they not only work to the injury of the parties directly concerned, but to the detriment of every other house in the same line of business, as it throws upon the market goods at about half cost, thus paralyzing legitimate trade and really losing money for everyone except the general public, who, even though goods are only slightly damaged, say that a fire is justification for paying only about one-fourth the original price.

11-2t

For Sale.

A second-hand Remington typewriter, No. 1, in excellent order. Ask ADVERTISE office. 8-4t

Owing to the importunities of our customers, we have again brought in a stock of Cottolene. It is much better and certainly much cheaper than last year.

Read our advertisement.

CHILES, THOMPSON GROCERY CO.

The best leaf lard is at Adam Baum & Son's. 10-3t

BROWN'S IRON BITTERS

cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion & Debility.

Adam Baum & Son have the best Swiss cheese made. Try it, 10-3t

Do not forget that Howe & Johnson make a specialty of pure liquors for family and medicinal purposes. They guarantee the purity of the goods they handle.

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Adam Baum & Son. For the best assortment of molasses and syrups go to

10-3t ADAM BAUM & SON.

Howe & Johnson handle such pure family liquors that people will have them at any cost. If they lack the money to buy them will break in and steal them. It has rained, but Howe & Johnson still have plenty of full strength to supply all for family and medicinal purposes.

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For nice sugar-cured hams, go to 10-3t ADAM BAUM & SON'S

We sell more goods for \$1 cash than any house in town. Try us once.

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IF YOUR BACK ACHES, or you are not in general health, try

BROWN'S IRON BITTERS.

It will cure you, cleanse your liver, and give a good appetite.

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FOR CASH!

A Big Cut in Prices
For The
Next 30 Days
In Glassware.

Queensware.

Plates 25c per set and upward.

Cups and Saucers 30c and upward.

Pitchers 15c up.

Vegetable Dishes 15c up.

Bowls and Pitchers, full size, 75c.

Mason Quart Jars 5c.

Tinware.

Wash Pan 5c. Pt Cups 3c. Qt Cups 6c. Gal. C. 8c. Dish Pans 2c. 2-Qt Coffee Pots 15c. Hunters Sifters 20c. Wood Rim Sifters 10c. 4-Qt Covered Buckets 15c.

Heating Stoves \$2.00 up.

Cook Stoves \$4.50 up.

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Hardware and Queensware
MT. STERLING, - - - KY.

DON'T

Find fault with the cook if the pastry does not exactly suit you. Nor with your wife either—perhaps she is not to

BLAME

It may be the lard she is using for shortening. Lard is indigestible you know. But if you would always have

YOUR

Cakes, pies, rolls, and bread palatable and perfectly digestible, order the new shortening, "COTTOLENE," for your

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Chiles, Thompson Grocery Co.
Mt. Sterling, Kentucky.

THE ADVOCATE.

The World's Fair claims to have the biggest hog in the world. It is 8 feet long and 3 feet wide.

The first cream coming from a cow is composed of the largest globules of butter fat, and for that reason butter made from it is of firmer grain.

A Vermont county fair last week drew 15,000. A first-class country fair anywhere will draw people, and we should have more such expositions.

In Illinois sheep have been found to die in the lungs with small white worms. The sheep have good appetites but grow poor. Tarantine given in liberal doses has proved beneficial.

Hundreds of newspapers are quoting this sentence from the New York Evening Post: "The last man in the country to whom the President of the United States should give a great office is the man who has given most money towards electing him."

Some of the older authorities give the opal as an emblem of hope. But a writer on the subject, Rabbi Brenou, who lived in the fourteenth century, says of it: "The opal is fatal to love, and also discord between the giver and receiver. Given as an engagement token it is sure to bring ill-luck." A late writer on the vagaries of fashion says: "An opal figure in Sir Walter Scott's novel of 'Anne of Geierstein,' and its possession was fatal to the family of the heroine. The idea that they were unlucky obtained such currency that after the publication of the novel they went out of fashion." The same writer says: "When Miss Grant married Mr. Astor she had among her presents a set of opals. Much was said about the ill-omen, and if report is to be believed her marriage has been a wretched one. It is even asserted that they are especially unlucky when given to a bride."

MIXED ELECTIONS.

There Will Be None After the New Law Gets Into Working Order.

There seems some misundertstanding in some quarters about the time of holding the next election of county officers. All understand the purpose of the Constitutional Convention and Legislature to be an arrangement that would preclude the mixing up of elections of county officers with those for Congress, and the reasons therefore were obvious. But inquires one, why are so many officers to be elected next November, a year, at the very time Congressmen are to be elected all over the state, and some red-hot contests should not be mixed up with these minor races in prospect?

This is easily explained. It was made necessary just once because of the difficulty incident to putting into effect a completely new arrangement.

The following section from the new election law describes what must be done, and then it is easily seen what will follow:

"An election shall be held in each county on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, for Judge of the County Court, County Court Clerk [County Attorney, Sheriff, County Superintendent of common Schools, members of the Fiscal Court, Jailer, Coroner, Surveyor and Assessor, and in each Justice's District, for one Justice of Peace and one Constable who shall hold their respective offices for the period of three years, and until the election and qualification of their successors; and in eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, and every four years thereafter, there shall be held an election in each county for the officer herein mentioned. The first election for Sheriff shall be held in each county at the regular election in one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, and the Sheriff elected at that time shall hold their respective offices for the period of two years, and until the election and qualification of their successors."

A little study will show that after this election there will never again be any conflict. The next election of county officers will occur in 1897, the next succeeding congressional election in 1898, the next election of State officers and that following it in 1899 and 1899, respectively. So hereafter no election of county officers or State officers can occur in the same year with a congressional election, and these two cannot occur at the same time.—Louisville Times.

COST OF ELECTRICAL COOKING.

A Southern Estimate of the Expense of Preparing a Meal at Home.

As to the cost of electric cooking, a few months ago I wrote to the *Local Electrical Review* as follows:

The writer of this letter refers to the fact that there are a large number of cooking operations where the heat has to be applied for short periods of time and only at such points where it is actually required. It is a small matter to apply electricity to such operations, and ready it will furnish heat. Cooking operations, such as baking, would seem to be unadapted for electric heating owing to length of time required, but continued, but attention is called to the fact that the oven can be heated to the required temperature for a full current only for the time necessary to bring the oven up to the proper temperature, and that only one-fourth of the original current is necessary to maintain the heat and carry on the cooking.

The writer of the letter referred to has conducted a number of experiments in this direction, and his results are taken for our estimate, which is based upon the cost of electric power for heating and cooking.

The power rates, as far as I can learn,

are as follows:

The electric toaster will toast two large slices of bread thoroughly in one minute. The toaster will consume 14 amperes at 50 volts. Allow-

ing 15 minutes, one could readily toast a loaf of bread at a cost for electric power of 11¢-6 cents.

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The book containing the acts of the last Legislature will contain 1,570 pages.

There were 320 business failures throughout the United States during the past week, as against 184 the same period last year.

Georgetown is building a tabernacle 50x150 feet, seating capacity 1,500, for the purpose of holding a meeting as soon as completed.

Hon. Theodore F. Hallam is announced as a candidate for State Senator against Mr. William Goebel, and the race promises to be interesting.

The National banks of New York now hold \$24,120,500 in excess of the reserve required by law. Two months ago it was difficult to keep the reserve intact.

While Houston Kelley and Eliza Dent, colored of Paris, were sleeping on the same bed, some one discharged a dynamite bomb between them, killing them instantly.

Ex-Mayor C. Booker Reed, of Louisville, whom Mayor Henry S. Tyler, the present incumbent and Democratic nominee defeated four years ago, has been nominated as an independent candidate.

At Covington, Tuesday, the C. & O. was fined ten thousand dollars for blockading Thirteenth street, in that city. This is the heaviest fine ever imposed on any railroad company in the United States.

The aggregate purchases of silver bullion by the Treasury Department during September were 2,745,405 ounces, or 1,754,595 less than authorized by the Sherman act.

Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge, Congressman from the Ashland district, was at his home in Lexington, several days past the week. He is now at his post in Washington again.

Elder Joseph C. Frank says: "Whiskey kills nine men to the mad dog's one." When a mad dog makes his appearance the entire neighborhood is in arms, and do not stop until his life has been taken, but this cannot be said of the whiskey traffic.

A man giving his name as Frank Watts, gave himself up to the St. Louis police, saying he had robbed a bank in Mt. Vernon, Westchester county, N. Y., or \$150,000, in October of last year. He came West with the money, and in Cincinnati met a man named Henry Woods, who he says stole \$900 of the money. He was a janitor in the bank.

An Exchange says: "Leafless tree branches under which so many farm implements are stored are not so effective in protecting from winter's rains and snows as the roof of barn. If you have no room in the barn make a shelter of straw or corn stalks and under it store your implements."

M. O. Cockrell is deputy collector under Col. T. H. Shelby, having received his commission the last day of September. Mr. Cockrell made his first trip as deputy collector, the second of October. Beginning this week he will visit all dealers and manufacturers within his jurisdiction. Mr. Cockrell will make an active and efficient officer.

In the Clark County Circuit Court the famous cases growing out of the French-Eversole feud in Perry County have been filed away. These cases were transferred by the Legislature from Perry to Clark. The court docket is crowded and there is not much chance to secure convictions, and as the return of the cases to Perry County would mean another war, Judge Scott decided to file them away.

At St. Louis, a young Englishman who registered at Hurst's Hotel as J. A. Gunberg, received two registered letters which the postal authorities declined to deliver until he was identified. They were opened in his presence, however, and found to contain checks and money amounting to \$5,000. Gumbert became angry at refusal, snatched the checks and money applied a match to them. He has since received money by cable and departed.

The Synod of Kentucky will hold its session for 1893 with the Winchester Presbytery church South, beginning this evening at 7:30 p. m. Of it, the Winchester Democrat says:

"The initial sermon will be preached by Dr. Rutherford, of Paris, the Moderator of the last meeting. Immediately after the close of the introductory sermon the ladies of the church will hold a reception in the church parlor."

HORSE AND TRACK.

Trivellian by Young Jim cut his record to 2:14½ at Evansville, Ind.

O. A. Hiekk will drive Nancy Banks in her fast trials until Double better.

Trots at Lexington this week. The \$5,000 stake to-day; free-for-all tomorrow.

Hal Braden, 2:08½, and Hal Dillard 2:08½, are the fastest pair of stallions that can be found in one stable.

It is said that A. H. Moore, the owner of Director, 2:17, is willing to pay \$50,000 for that horse's great son Director, 2:06½.

C. J. Hamlin is confident that Fantasy, 2:13½, will capture the three-year-old record before she is brought home this fall.

Prima Donna, 2:05½, will not eat oats. She is a light mare, and her strength is kept up by eating whole corn from the cob.

Curtis, the clever reseman that marked Pamlico in 2:11½ and drove him in all of his races this year, is but twenty years old.

Cut Glass (2) by Onward won the stake for a dog at Evansville; time 2:20½. The great filly, Director's Flower, caught the flag.

"Unless trotters are well bred on both sides I am afraid of them," was the remark of a trotting horseman a few days since. They are almost surely to disappoint you sooner or later.

The leading living sires, with this year's additions, now stand as follows: "Nutwood, 100; Red Wilkes, 81; Onward, 71; Alcantara, 61; Egbert, 58; Robert McGregor, 49, and Stratford 49.

Pamlico won the 2:12 trot at Lexington last Saturday in straight heats, best time 2:11½. Nellie A. won the \$5,000 stake, best time 2:23½. May Marshall won the 2:11 pace in 2:10½, 2:11 and 2:09, Blanche Louise second.

Up to the close of last week Geers led all of the teamsters as a winner in 1893, the gross winnings of horses driven by him amounting to \$3,900.

McHenry third with \$2,875, and John Dickerson fourth with \$2,850.

In all the history and theory of breeding nothing seems so much required to be told over and over again as to the fact that to breed for a quality it is necessary to breed from animals that have quality. If you would have a race horse, you must breed not merely from the blood that has produced race horses, but from race horses themselves.

The 2:20 pace at the Terra Haute meeting furnished about as much excitement as anything during the week. Hal Braden was the ultimate winner, but it took six fast heats to decide it. Rocker won the first, reducing his record to 2:11. Will Kerr took the second in the sensational time, 2:07½, which gave him the five-year-old record. Hal Braden got the third in 2:08½. May Marshall the fourth in 2:09, the record for a mare, after which the son of Brown Hal gathered in the next two heats in 2:09½, 2:10½.

Louisville Tobacco Market.

Sales on our market for the week just closed amount to \$3,038 hds. with receipts for the same period of 968 hds. Sales on our market since January 1, amount to 107,395 hds. Sales of the crop of 1892 on our market amount to 109,208 hds.

The market for burley tobacco the first of the week was stronger, but the latter part of the week eased up a little and closed about as price were the week previous. Some few hds. of new burley have been sold, and as a rule, were very poor in quality.

The following quotations fairly represent our market for burley tobacco (1892 crop):

Trash. (Dark damaged tobacco, \$3.50 to \$4.00.

Common color trash, \$4.25 to \$5.00. Medium to good color trash, \$5 to \$7.

Common lugs, not color, \$4.00 to \$5. Common color lugs, \$5 to \$7.50.

Medium to good color lugs, \$7.50 to \$9.

Common to medium leaf \$8.00 to \$9.

Medium to good leaf, \$9 to \$14.

Good to fine leaf, \$14 to \$16.

Sealed wrapper style, \$16 to \$22.

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LAND STOCK AND CROP.

Farris and Whitley bought a bunch of 1,100-lb. feeders from Jim Kaux at 3c, and eight head from Wm. Calvert at the same price.—Danville Advocate.

Simon Well bought last week of Caswell Prewitt and son, Clifton, 115 head of export cattle at 4 cents, and also of Wm. Spencer 50 head at 4½ cents.

Farris and Whitley bought of W. F. Davis eight head of cattle, average weight \$1,450, at 3½c. These gentlemen will feed about 300 head this winter.

They have 200 head that will be ready for the export market in about six weeks. They also bought thirty-five 100-lb. shots at 3c.—Danville Advocate.

John and Andrew English bought the past week from different parties in the county, and shipped Saturday from this point, 180 head of cattle. Eighty head averaged 1,100 pounds, and one hundred head 1,400 pounds. They were bought at from 3 to 3½ cents per pound.

Tuesday D. C. Terhune shipped from Harrisburg, to James Guthrie, of Versailles, 100 male colts that had been bought from the choice lots in six counties at an average cost of between \$62 and \$63 per head. They were pronounced the finest lot of sugar stock seen in this section for years.—Danville Advocate.

Kid & Bush last week bought for Lehman Bros., Baltimore, or Rankin Whitsett, 15 head of cattle at 4½ cents, averaging 1,500, and 30 head at 4½ cents, averaging 1,500. They also brought of Clifton Prewitt 34 head at 4½ cents, averaging 1,500 lbs.; also of Albert Stover 27 head at 4½ cents, averaging 1,550; of Marion Hadden 15 head at 4½ cents, averaging 1,475, and of James Shront 37 head at 4½, averaging 1,550.

Mr. W. A. Jones sold his drop of growing tobacco to J. W. Thomas, of Paris, for 12½c. John Talbot sold to A. B. Murray, of Louisiana, five two-year-old mules at \$140 per head. It is reported that several growing crops of tobacco were sold for 13c. last week near Carlisle. John S. Talbot and brother sold their crop of growing tobacco to Hiriam Carpenter at 10c. per pound.—North Middletown Advance.

Wm. Moreland has bought in this county in the last two weeks 700 fat hogs at from 4½ to 5½c. He paid 6c. for a few extra good ones. He also bought two car loads of lambs at 2½c. and 25 head of butcher cattle at 1 to 2½ cents. As agent of John W. Poor & Co., R. A. Burnside bought in this county 5,000 bushels of wheat at 5½c. It was loaded Saturday to be shipped to Newport News.—Interior Journal.

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Sidney Hart, of Montgomery county, bought of Frank B. Allen 25 1,200-lb. feeding cattle at \$3.25. John A. Berry, of Sharpsburg, bought the past week 500-lb. cattle, D. H. Hart of Roe's Run, and B. F. Shront, of Prickly Ash, at \$2.50. 150-lb. hogs of F. B. Shront at \$5.00; 12 250-lb. hogs of F. B. Allen at \$5.50. John W. Hughs, of Flat Creek, bought the past week; 15 1,120-lb. feeding cattle of James H. Hughes, southeast of town at \$3.90; of L. B. Conyers, near Wyoming, 2 fat 1,524-lb. oxen at \$3.72, and 2 1,500-lb. export cattle at \$4. J. S. Crain, of Hillsboro, bought, at Wyoming, of Mrs. Lucy M. Donnan of Owingsville, 8 1,496-lb. export cattle at \$3.90; of L. B. Conyers, near Wyoming, 2 fat 1,524-lb. oxen at \$3.72, and 2 1,500-lb. export cattle at \$4. W. T. Vies, of Odessa, sold to Baird & Co., of Lexington, 1 1/4-year-old work mule at \$150. John Craig, of Prickly Ash, shipped two car-loads of butch. cattle to the Cincinnati market Saturday. Joe Spencer, of State Creek, sold to Chas. Spencer, of Roe's Run, sixteen 1,043-lb. feeding steers at \$3. Stephen M. Warner, of the Reynoldsville neighborhood, was in town Saturday. He states that the largest steers he has will not exceed 40 per cent, and corn is about 70 per cent. Press Barnes, of Preston sold his new crop of tobacco to J. Thompson, of Montgomery county, at 9½ cents.—Owingsville Outlook.

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RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$ 22,613.67
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	7,425.00
Deposits, savings, etc.	20,000.00
Due from approved reserve agents	35,004.24
Due from State Banks and bankers	7,471.00
Due from National Banks and bankers	7,000.00
Other resources subject to examination	1,723.84
Current expenses and taxes paid	1,495.00
Hills of other banks	14,948.15
Other paper currency in circulation	5,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasury	1,125.00
Total	\$85,295.42

State of Kentucky, county of Montgomery:

I, H. H. French, Cashier of the above named bank, do hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. H. French, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of October, 1893.

J. L. White, N. P.

Correct—Attest:

S. Fifer,

Lewis Apperson,

Directors.

Encouraging news comes from Wheeling in regard to the improvement in the industrial situation in the upper Ohio valley. It is estimated that ten thousand men who have been idle in the Wheeling district will be given employment this week by the resumption of operations in iron-works, nail-works and glass factories.

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